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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 19, 2005, in connection with the above-identified application (Paper No./Mail Date 20051209), please enter the following amendments and consider the following arguments. This response is timely filed within the three-month statutory period set for response.

Enclosed herewith are a revised Sequence Listing in paper form, a Sequence Listing in computer readable format (CRF), and a Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.821(f) and (g).

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